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Hi Cindy:

I will gather info tomorrow and email to you. Please follow up if you don't see something from me.

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Eric...

Can we get a copy of the survey reports and radon test results for the residences in areas 5, 6, and 7?

Thanks!

Cindy

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**Holy Trinity Cemetery Site-OSC Daly, OSC Lisichenko**

Good Evening:

Attached and below is the most recent Pollution Report (POLREP) regarding:

USEPA Region II  
Holy Trinity Cemetery  
5401 Roberts Avenue, Lewiston, NY

For additional information regarding this site,  
please visit the website by clicking on this link:  
[Holy Trinity Cemetery Site](#)

Regards,

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**From June 08, 2017 through July 15, 2017 the following tasks/events occurred:**

Gamma survey results showed background levels at Area 6 & 7 residences with the exception of Area 7 garage concrete floor.

All radon results obtained from the residences at Areas 5, 6, & 7 were below action limits.

Throughout this time range, OSC Lisichenko has overseen Weston analyzing the HTC soil/slag samples via the HPGe.

**Anticipated Activities:**

EPA activities at the Niagara County Sites have been suspended for the time being due to the uncertainty with the current budget situation. Funding to complete all of the work, rather than incremental funding, is preferred in order to avoid shutdown and start-up costs, security costs and other maintenance costs that would accrue in between periods of work.

Two identified piles of slag within Areas 2 and 4 will be fenced during the time range of July 31, 2017-August 11, 2017.

EPA anticipates returning to Niagara County site work in Spring 2018 at the earliest.

USEPA has been coordinating with NYS, Niagara County and local representatives throughout the assessment/removal process.

**Personnel On-Site:**

OSC Lisichenko

Weston: One Technician